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FOR: OPTICAL FIBER SENSOR HAVING A SOL-GEL FIBER CORE AND A
METHOD OF MAKING

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

Responsive to the outstanding Office Action dated August 3, 2004, favorable
consideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested.